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TO SECSTATE WASHDC 3336
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E.O. 11652: N/A
TAGS: SENV, PLOS, IMCD, EWWT
SUBJECT: 1973 CONVENTION FOR THE PREVENTION OF POLLUTION FROM
SHIPS

REF: STATE 052028

1. MINISTRY OF MERCHANT MARINE VICE DIRECTOR GENERAL FOR
NATIONAL WATERS AND PORTS FRANCHI INFORMED EMBASSY THAT
ITALY WOULD NOT INTERPRET REFERENCED CONVENTION AS APPLYING TO
VESSELS NAVIGATING EXCLUSIVELY IN DOMESTIC INLAND WATERS.
WHOEVER, HE BELIEVED THAT THE REGULATIONS SHOULD BE APPLIED
TO BOATS FITTED FOR DUAL (THAT IS, BOTH RIVER AND SEA NAVIGATION.)
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IN EITHER CASE, THE REGULATIONS PRESENTED FEW PROBLEMS FOR ITALY
GIVEN THE SMALL AMOUNT OF DUAL TRAFFIC.

2. FRANCHI SAID THAT ITALY HAD NOT YET RATIFIED THE 1973 CON-
VENTION BUT THAT AN APPROPRIATE BILL WAS BEING DRAFTED. HE
INDICATED IT WOULD BE SOME MONTHS BEFORE GOING TO PARLIAMENT.

3. COMMENT: ALTHOUGH FRANCHI DID NOT REFER TO THE NEGOTIATING HISTORY IN FRAMING HIS RESPONSE, HIS INTERPRETATION WOULD APPEAR TO SUPPORT DEPARTMENT'S UNDERSTANDING. IN ANY CASE, FRANCHI'S OFFICE WOULD BE RESPONSIBLE FOR CARRYING OUT THE CONVENTION ONCE IT IS ADOPTED BY ITALY AND HIS COMMENTS ARE THUS AUTHORITATIVE. BEAUDRY

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Message Attributes

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